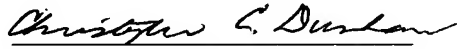


## REMARKS


In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendsment, submitted herewith is a new set of formal drawings (5 sheets each properly labelled "replacement sheet") to replace the originally filed drawings and the non-compliant drawings submitted with applicants' Amendment filed March 14, 2005. No marked-up drawings were submitted either with the March 14, 2005 Amendment, or with this Amendment.

Substitution of the replacement sheets for the original drawings is courteously requested.

Respectfully,

  
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## **DRAWING AMENDMENTS**

Please replace the original filed drawings (5 sheets) with the replacement sheets of new formal drawings hereto attached. Each of these new sheets is labelled "replacement sheet." All figures on the replacement sheets are substantively identical to the corresponding Figures on the originally filed sheets, except that they comply with the standards of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for formal drawings, including shading, numerals and absence of extraneous marks.